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# The Week Ahead for The Committee on Homeland Security February 13-17, 2006

### Wednesday, Feb. 15, 2006

### 10:00 a.m. Hearing: "The State of Interoperable Communications: Perspectives from the Field"

Subcommittee on Emergency Preparedness, Science, and Technology Chairman Dave Reichert (R-WA)

Location: 311 Cannon House Office Building

Witnesses: Mr. Casey L. Perry, Trooper, Wisconsin State Patrol and Chairman, National Troopers Coalition; Mr. Tim Bradley, Senior Deputy State Fire Marshal, North Carolina Office of State Fire Marshal and Member, National Volunteer Fire Council; Ms. Diane Linderman, Director-at-Large, Public Works Management/Leadership, American Public Works Association; Mr. William Moroney, President and Chief Executive Officer, United Telecom Council; and Dr. William W. Pinsky, Executive Vice President and Chief Academic Officer, Ochsner Clinic Foundation, Committee on Health Professions and representative to the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education, American Hospital Association

# 2:00 p.m. Hearing: "The President's Proposed FY07 Budget for the Department of Homeland Security: The Office of Intelligence and Analysis"

Subcommittee on Intelligence, Information Sharing, and Terrorism Risk

Assessment

Chairman Rob Simmons (R-CT)

Location: 311 Cannon House Office Building

Witness: Mr. Charlie E. Allen, Chief Intelligence Officer, U.S. Department of

Homeland Security

## 5:00 p.m. Hearing: "The President's Fiscal Year 2007 Budget: Coast Guard Programs Impacting Maritime Border Security"

Subcommittee on Economic Security, Infrastructure Protection, and

Cybersecurity

Chairman Dan Lungren (R-CA)

Location: 311 Cannon House Office Building

Witness: Admiral Thomas Collins, Commandant, U.S. of the Coast Guard

### Thursday, Feb. 16, 2006

9:30 a.m. Hearing: "The President's Proposed Fiscal Year 2007 Budget for the Department of Homeland Security: Maintaining Vigilance and Improving Mission Performance in Securing the Homeland"

Full Committee on Homeland Security

Chairman Peter T. King (R-NY)

Location: 311 Cannon House Office Building

Witness: The Honorable Michael Chertoff, Secretary, U.S. Department of

Homeland Security

1:30 p.m. Hearing: "Mismanagement of the Border Surveillance System and Lessons Learned for the New Border Initiative, Part 3"

Subcommittee on Management, Integration, and Oversight

Chairman Mike Rogers (R-AL)

Location: 311 Cannon House Office Building

Witnesses: Gregory L. Giddens, Director, Secure Border Initiative Program,

U.S. Department of Homeland Security; James C. Handley, Regional

Administrator, Great Lakes Region 5, U.S. General Services Administration

2:00 p.m. Hearing: "The President's Proposed FY07 Budget: Risk-Based Spending at the Transportation Security Administration"

Subcommittee on Economic Security, Infrastructure Protection, and

Cybersecurity

Chairman Dan Lungren (R-CA)

Location: To be announced

Witness: The Honorable Kip Hawley, Administrator, Transportation Security

Administration, U.S. Department of Homeland Security

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